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<b>RESPONSE TO PAPER NO. 23</b>  Address to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313-1450	Attorney Docket Confirmation No.	STAN-166 7611
	First Named Inventor	Crabtree
	Application Number	09/716.054
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	Group Art Unit	1641
	Examiner Name	Lisa V. Cook
	Title	BIFUNCTIONAL MOLECULES AND THEIR USE IN THE DISRUPTION OF PROTEIN- PROTEIN INTERACTIONS

Dear Sir:

This Communication is responsive to the FINAL REJECTION dated June 17, 2003. In view of the remarks put forth below, the Examiner is respectfully requested to withdraw the rejections and allow Claims 16-24, the only claims pending and currently under examination in this application.